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Magistrate Judge

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Barry S. Schermer

Chief Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1947
 Education: Washington U (MO) 1973 JD
 Began Service: 1986
 Term Expires: October 14, 2014

Affiliation: Bankruptcy Judge, United States Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Eighth Circuit**Academic:** Adjunct Professor, Washington University School of Law**Staff**

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Kathy A. Surratt-States

Bankruptcy Judge

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 Began Service: March 17, 2003
 Term Expires: March 2017

Clerkships: Law Clerk, Bankruptcy Judge James J. Barta, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri (1991-1993); Judicial Intern, Bankruptcy Judge Barry S. Schermer, United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Missouri (1989)**Legal Practice:** Associate, Campbell & Coyne, P.C. (1993-1998); Principal, Ziercher & Hocker, P.C. (2000-2001); Associate, Ziercher & Hocker, P.C. (1998-1999); Member, Husch & Eppenger, LLC (2001-2003)**Current Memberships:** Bar Association of Metropolitan St. Louis; Missouri Bar Association; Mound City Bar Association**Staff**

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David P. McDonald

Senior Bankruptcy Judge

Date of Birth: 1938
 Education: Washington U (MO) 1960 BA, 1962 JD
 Began Service: December 3, 1982
 Term Expires: December 2, 2014

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Dean Whipple

Chief Judge

Date of Birth: 1938
 Education: Drury 1961 BS; Missouri (Kansas City) 1965 JD
 Began Service: December 1987
 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Prosecuting Attorney, County of Laclede, Missouri (1967-1971)**Judicial:** Circuit Judge, Missouri Circuit Court, Division II, 26th Judicial Circuit (1975-1987)**Military Service:** Missouri National Guard (1956-1961); United States Army Reserve (1961-1966)**Current Memberships:** American Bar Association; Kansas City Inn of the Court; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Laclede County Bar Association; Missouri Bar Association; Missouri Trial Judges Association; 26th Judicial Bar Association**Staff**

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Fernando J. Gaitan, Jr.

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1948
 Education: Pittsburg State 1970 BS; Missouri (Kansas City) 1974 JD
 Began Service: 1991
 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

Corporate: Attorney, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (1974-1980)**Judicial:** Judge, Missouri Circuit Court, 16th Judicial Circuit (1980-1986); Judge, Missouri Court of Appeals, Western District (1986-1991)**Current Memberships:** American Bar Foundation; Jackson County Bar Association; Kansas City Metropolitan Bar Association; Missouri Bar Association**Staff**

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